

Table 6. **Federal R&D budget authority as a percentage of total budget authority
by budget function: fiscal years 2000-2002**

2002 rank	Budget function	2000 actual	2001 preliminary	2002 proposed
	All functions conducting R&D.....	7.6	7.9	7.9
3	National defense.....	14.0	14.4	15.0
4	Health.....	11.1	11.3	11.2
2	Space research and technology.....	42.8	45.1	45.1
1	General science and basic research.....	73.7	70.2	68.9
6	Natural resources and environment.....	8.0	7.6	8.1
8	Transportation.....	3.0	2.7	2.7
5	Agriculture.....	4.2	5.3	9.1
16	Energy ¹	-84.1	-157.4	-265.8
9	Veterans benefits and services.....	1.4	1.5	1.4
12	Education, training, employment, and social services.....	0.8	0.6	0.4
7	Commerce and housing credit ¹	2.6	-6.5	2.9
10	International affairs.....	0.9	1.2	0.9
13	Administration of justice.....	0.3	0.3	0.2
11	Community and regional development.....	0.4	0.5	0.4
15	Income security.....	*	*	*
14	General government.....	*	*	*

¹ R&D as percentage of total budget authority is negative for some years because gross budget authority has been reduced by offsetting receipts. Offsetting receipts can exceed gross budget authority.

* = Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

NOTES: Total budget authority includes discretionary and mandatory budget authority, less offsets. The order of budget functions is the same as order for Federal R&D budget authority, by budget function shown in table 2.

SOURCES: Agencies' submissions to Office of Management and Budget (OMB), MAX Schedule C; agency budget justification documents; supplemental data obtained from agencies' budget offices; and OMB, *Budget of the United States Government, Fiscal Year 2002*, (Washington, DC, 2001), table 22-1.